

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
FREEDOM OF INFORMATION/PRIVACY ACTS SECTION
COVER SHEET

SUBJECT: ROBERT NESTA MARLEY

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

REPORTING OFFICE NEW YORK	OFFICE OF ORIGIN NEW YORK	DATE JUN 30 1976	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD 4/7/76 - 6/25/76
TITLE OF CASE <div style="background-color: black; width: 100px; height: 40px; margin-top: 10px;"></div> <i>b7C 5, 6</i>		REPORT MADE BY <div style="background-color: black; width: 150px; height: 20px; margin-top: 5px;"></div> <i>b7C</i>	TYPED BY VMS
		CHARACTER OF CASE COPYRIGHT MATTER; ITSP-FALSE LABELING	

REFERENCES:

NYnitel to NK, dated 4/19/76.
 NYteletypeto NK, dated 4/28/76.
 NHairtel to NY, dated 4/28/76.
 NKlet to NY, dated 5/6/76.

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CONVIC.	PRETRIAL DIVERSION	FUG.	FINES	SAVINGS	RECOVERIES			PENDING OVER ONE YEAR <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO PENDING PROSECUTION OVER SIX MONTHS <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO	
APPROVED <i>[Signature]</i>						SPECIAL AGENT IN CHARGE		DO NOT WRITE IN SPACES BELOW	
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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Copy to: 1-USA, EDNY
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Report of: [REDACTED]
Date: JUN 30 1976

Office: New York, New York

Field Office File #: 28-1303

Bureau File #: [REDACTED]

Title: [REDACTED]

Character: COPYRIGHT MATTER;
INTERSTATE TRANSPORTATION OF STOLEN PROPERTY-FALSE LABELING

Synopsis: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] in April, 1976, indicated that an unknown individual was making illegal copies of the Island Records' record entitled, "Bob Marley and the Wailers Live" in violation of the Federal Copyright Law. [REDACTED]

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DETAILS:

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

4/9/76

Date of transcription

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b7C [REDACTED]

BOB MARLEY recording entitled, "Bob Marley And The Wailers Live", which is produced and distributed by Island Records of 154 West 57th Street, New York, New York. [REDACTED] that BOB MARLEY is a Jamaican performer and that this recording of his is protected under the Federal Copyright Law and was released in 1975.

Interviewed on 4/7/76 at New York, New York File # NY 28-1303

by SA [REDACTED] b7C Date dictated 4/8/76

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1Date of transcription 5/28/76

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No jackets or albums for the recording entitled
"Bob Marley and the Wailers" were observed.

Interviewed on 5/26/76 at Queens, New York File # NY 28-1303

by SA [REDACTED] ^{b7c} Date dictated 5/28/76

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[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] advised on June 3, 1976, that
[REDACTED] that one of the illegal "BOB MARLEY
and the Wailers Live" recording is being offered for sale at

b7D

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

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b7C June 25, 1976, [REDACTED] had a purchase of the BOB MARLEY recording made [REDACTED]

b7D [REDACTED] but after he actually received the album it was determined that this was not an illegal copy but one of their legitimate releases.

Director, FBI
Dept. of Justice
Washington, D.C. 20535

Dear FOIA-PA:

June 1, 1981
FOIA Request re. Bob Marley *Deceased*
Jamaican Reggae Musician
Born: 2/6/45 Place: St. Ann, Jamaica
Died: 5/11/81 in Miami, Florida
Survived 1976 assassination attempt in
Jamaica
~~_____~~

This is a request under the Freedom of Information Act as amended
(5 U.S.C. Sec. 552) in conjunction with the Privacy Act (5 U.S.C. Sec. 552a).

I request that you release to me all records maintained by your agency
pertaining to _____ including, but not limited to, files and documents
captioned under Bob Marley. I want all records to be produced
with administrative markings, serial numbers, file covers and search slips.
This request specifically includes, but is not limited to, records of
mail openings, trash covers, misurs, fisurs, tesurs, photo surveillances,
black bags, cointelpro operations, phone checks, wiretaps, anonymous
and/or fraudulent letters, illegal leaks, pretext calls and stop notices

I request that you search this name as Bob Marley, Robert Marley, Bob
Marley and the Wailers, 1976 assassination attempt.

Please release all information pertaining to this request including,
but not limited to, the following:

1. "Main" files (including classification "134", "66", "62" and/or
others.
2. See References.
3. Informer files--including classification "134", "66", "62"
and/or others.
4. Seperate Files and File locations such as "Do Not File" files,
"June" or "June Mail" files, Elsur Index, SAC vaults and/or
safes and/or personal files; special file rooms; files in rooms
of top FBI officials; Personal and Confidential files; Official
and Confidential files.
5. Abstracts of all documents covered by this request.
6. Special Indices including but not limited to:
 - a. Civil Rights including classification "44" and/or others;
 - b. Administrative Matters files, including classification
"66" and/or others;
 - c. Domestic Security files, including classification "100"
and others;
 - d. Interception of Communications files, including classi-
fication "139" and all others;
 - e. Extremist Matters, Civil Unrest files, including classi-